

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CHARLOTTE DIVISION  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:04-CV-638-C**

**MICHAEL SMITH,** )  
 )  
 **Plaintiff,** )  
 **v.** )  
 ) **ORDER**  
 **WAFFLE HOUSE, INC, and** )  
 **HILLCREST FOODS, INC.,** )  
 )  
 **Defendants.** )  
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Upon consideration of the parties' Fourth Joint Settlement Report, this action shall continue to be **STAYED** pending further Orders of the Court. No parties shall be required to file or serve any pleadings, memoranda, disclosures, or discovery during such time as this action is stayed.

On or before **May 17, 2006**, the parties shall jointly report the status of this matter to the Court.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: April 17, 2006

*Carl Horn, III*

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United States Magistrate Judge

